



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Marc Alaia, et al.) Examiner: Patel, Jagdish
Application No.: 09/828,731) Art Unit: 3624
Filed: April 9, 2001)
For: Method And System For Controlling)
The Initiation And Duration Of)
Overtime Intervals In Electronic)
Auctions)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 13, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

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